



## Certificate B

Maximum of 37 Credit Hours

## Dental Assistant

- Certified Dental Assistant Credential

## A.A.S.

Maximum of 64 Credit Hours

## Dental Assistant Degree

- Certificate B Requirements
- Minimum of 15 Credit Hours of General Education

## Required Courses within Program

### Common Courses **3 credits:**

<i>Infection Control for Dental Practice</i>	<i>2 credits</i>
<i>Dental Radiology I</i>	<i>3 credits</i>
<i>Chairside Assisting I</i>	<i>4 credits</i>
<i>Dental Materials I</i>	<i>4 credits</i>
<i>Dental Practice Management</i>	<i>3 credits</i>

### Support Courses\* **(up to) 10 credits:**

<i>Anatomy &amp; Physiology</i>	<i>(up to) 5 credits</i>
<i>Dental Anatomy</i>	<i>(up to) 4 credits</i>
<i>CPR</i>	<i>1 credit</i>

*Course list sequence has no implication on course scheduling by colleges.*

*Institutions may add additional competencies based on local demand.*

*\*Institutions may utilize existing like course titles for Support Courses that adhere to the agreed upon course lengths.*

## Notes

Specifics pertaining to Dental Assistant programs:

1. Programs are accredited by the Commission on Dental Accreditation (CODA).
2. Program completers are eligible to sit for the Certified Dental Assistant (CDA) credentialing examination.
3. Program competencies align with Standard II of the Commission on Dental Accreditation (CODA).